

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 261

By Graves

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize William Christopher Potts, 2003 Valedictorian of Greenbrier High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, William Christopher Potts is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2003 graduating class at Greenbrier High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, William has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, he has earned an exemplary grade point average; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his stellar academic achievements, William is also involved in a number of activities as a member of the National Honor Roll Society and the Beta Club, and as Vice-President of Mu Alpha Theta, and Secretary of the Business Professionals of America; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to accolades, he has received the Certificate of Honor for the highest grade in ninth-grade English, eleventh-Grade Advanced English, U.S. History, and Chemistry; he was also recognized as the Student Athlete of the Year in 2002; and

WHEREAS, William's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Gordon and Kay Potts, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, his display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; he plans to attend Tennessee Technological University in the fall; and

WHEREAS, William Christopher Potts' dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor 2003 Greenbrier High School Valedictorian, William Christopher Potts, on his impressive academic achievement, and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.